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Previous references
Mil 60—15 & 1 B July 1915
" 355—B & 1 B May 1914 1916.
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Later references
Mil 20—16 & 1—4 B Jan (917)

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GENERAL AND REVENUE SECRETARIAT

Serial Nos. 3 + 5—8

Part B for July 1916

SUBJECT

Proposal to allow Maramat Assistant Engineers to scrutinize and pass estimates for works (upto) more than Rs 500/-

G.O. No. 841-61 Dt. - 27 7 16

States that Government are not in favour of entrusting scrutiny of estimates exceeding Rs 500/- upto Rs 1000/- to Maramat Asst Engineers and requests the Chief Engineer to instruct the Executive Engineer to ensure the scrutiny of estimates in reasonable time or within the prescribed period where a time limit is fixed.

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GENERAL AND REVENUE SECRETARIAT

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M File No 60-15

FILE HEADING

Professional Scrutiny of estimates for Municipal and District Fund works

From

The Deputy Commr, Bangalore Dt

No 141 Dated 28-8-15 Received 4-9-15

Diary No 976	Enclos	Spare Copies	Serial No 3

BRIEF ABSTRACT OF LETTER.

With reference to Govt orders No 6730-41/2 B 189-14-10 of 27-2-15 and 489-509/M 60-15-1 of 19-7-15 requests sanction to the Maramat Asst Engineer scrutinising and passing estimates for works costing more than Rs 500 but not exceeding Rs 2000 at least in urgent cases

NOTES AND ORDERS

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The G O No 6730-41/2 B 189-14-10 of 27-2-15 relates to the power of the Deputy Commrs to sanction estimates for village well works between Rs 500 and Rs 1000 after scrutiny

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~~by the Executive Engineer and~~
~~by G.Nos 1761-7 M 355-13-1 of 22-5-14~~
~~and 489-509 M 60-15-1 of 19-2-15~~
~~costing Rs 500 and more than Rs 5000~~
~~Require Scrutiny in the PWD~~
2. ~~The Deputy Commissioner~~
~~proposes that (a) the Maramat~~
~~Officer may be authorised~~
~~to scrutinise Estimates for~~
Municipal and District Fund
works costing between Rs 500
and Rs 2000 at least in urgent cases
and (b) the Scrutiny by the
Maramat officer of these
Estimates may be accepted
as equivalent to that Reqrd
to be made by the Executive
and Superintending Engineers.

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3 The Deputy Commissioner of
Chitaldrug Dt has been in
G O No R 10585-8/2 R449-14-4
dated 21-5-15 authorised to
employ the services of the
Maramat Assistant Engineer
attached to his District, without
prejudice to his legitimate work
in checking and scrutinising

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~~the estimates of Mount, Dock Fund and Marazion works. But the present proposal goes further in substituting the sentry of Executive and Superintending Engineers by that of the Maramat Asst Engineer. 4. The Chief Engineer may be consulted~~

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Forwarded unofficially to the Chief Engineer for favour of opinion
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Dated 13th Sept 15

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be consulted & estimates
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6 The P.W officers attached to the Marahmat department are generally of the rank of Sub Asst or Asst Engineers and Supervisors. If the District Boards are willing to take the risk, estimates the cost of which ranges between Rs 500 & 1,000 may be passed after they are scrutinized by the Marahmat Engineers. If this suggestion is acceptable to Government, the limits previously fixed may be revised as indicated below -

Estimates exceeding Rs 1,000 but not exceeding Rs 2,000 to be scrutinized by the Executive Engineers

Estimates exceeding Rs 2,000 but not exceeding Rs 2,500 by the Supdtg Engineers

Estimates above Rs 2,500 to be sent up to the Chief Engineer

J. Main
Chief Engineer & Secretary

Camp Regent,
24-10-1915.

No. 212/P.W.D. dt. the 15th September 1915.

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7 Subd for orders

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8 Please put up Ml file 1860 28/10/15 in which GO of 19/9/15 was passed

EB 28/10

9 Mem of file 40-15 Ml is subd Please see papers flagged P.

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2/11/15 2/11/15 GO regarding the proposal Sanctions was passed only recently, after some consideration, and the ground on which the DT now wants the amendment of that order is that his proposal of Sanctioned would facilitate speedy disposal As stated by the Chief Engineer, the Maramat Engineer is generally a Subassistant Engineer or a Supervisor, and when estimates for works costing large sums have to be sanctioned, it is but proper that they should be scrutinised by Engineers of higher status As no practical inconvenience is alleged to have been experienced in any individual case, and as a little delay involved in a reference to the Ex Engineer is likely to be more than counterbalanced by the

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advantage of securing under expert supervision
these, the existing arrangements may,
if approved, be allowed to continue.

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4 The Director may be requested
to state if any delays have
taken place by Land
Customs to Exchange &
if so in how many cases

Dft 21/11/15
R Draft
Ex 22/11

Dft 22/11

13 Draft attached

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Dy (Ag) Secy
22/11/15

14 Issue
Ex 24/11

5 To the President, Bangalore Dt Rd No
3801 of 20th ult. Ta Confg the inform
above referred to in Paras 1 &
above.

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6 ~~From the Deputy Comr, Bangalore dt No 759 dated 16th May 1916. Submits a Statement showing the dates on which some of the estimates were sent to and received back from the Executive Engineer~~

15. ~~The Statement discloses only 3 cases in which the P.W.D took 4, 6 and 10 months respectively to scrutinise the estimates.~~

16 Sent with reference to the Revenue Secy's note of the 21st Nov 1915 in para 11 of the notes above.

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25/5/16 11 No change in the Existing orders seems desirable — All that is required appears to be that the Chief Engineers should call

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[illegible] to be kept secret pending [illegible] projects referred to them — a time limit of a month or 6 weeks may not be [illegible] by the Committee

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Secretary) —

18 Reference to the Chief Engineer for [illegible] opinion as to whether a time limit of six weeks may be prescribed or the limit altered as indicated in his unofficial note of 24/10/15.

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* H.D. No 214-15
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Mc 182/Revd dated the 8th June 1916. IV 22/6

19. Returned, with compliments, to the Secretary to Government, Revenue Department.

2. Whether or not the limits of estimates to be scrutinized by the officers of this Department may be revised, as suggested in this office Un-Official Note dated the 24th October 1915, is a matter for the decision of Government.

3 As regards the time limit to be imposed for the professional scrutiny of estimates, it is not possible to make a hard and fast rule, as it will depend on the nature of the estimates, and the time the Executive Engineer can find to devote to it along with his other work That the Executive Engineers should dispose of them without unnecessary delay is all that can be prescribed

4. In specific cases, where disposal is required within a fixed time, the Chief Engineer may be asked to issue orders accordingly.

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K V Sundaram
For Chief Engineer of Mysore

Bangalore,
21st June 1916
H.R.R.

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7.	20. From the President, Dt Board, Trunkur No 589/s D/3d June 1916 (D 4387) states that the prevailing practice of submitting estimates for works costing over Rs 500 to the Executive Engineer, is causing much delay & ~~proposes to send~~ solicits permission to send them to the ~~Assistant~~ Engineer in charge of Marahmat works in the DE. A similar reference has been made by the President, District Board, Bangalore & the file ~~has been forwarded~~ to the Chief Engineer for opinion. This file may be ~~returned~~ kept in 'Sus' till the return of that ~~the~~ file AA 16 6 16 BE 21/6 21 Jes 22/6-16 A A 22/6 22. The Chief Engr to whom the matter was referred, ~~states~~ is agreeable after some hesitation, to have the estimates ranging from Rs 500 & 1000 scrutinised by the ~~Asstt~~ Engr & proposes certain other changes in the existing practice Vide para 6 But the Asstt Secy ~~suggests~~ suggests states that no change seems desirable & suggests in the alternative, ~~a change~~ to

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for a time limit in such cases. Vide para 17

Again the file was referred to the Chief Engr who states that it is not possible to prescribe a time-limit except in specific cases Vide para 19

Under these circumstances, the course suggested by the Dy Comrs & agreed to by the Chief Engr may be tried Subd for orders

Art
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Bds
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23 Please put up a draft order as above

27/6-16

24 Draft on the lines suggested by the Chief Engr is put up for appl or Mem orders

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Art
30/6/16
Bds
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25 Hon'ble Members —

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Accept.

27 If this file need been brought forward. This simple matter could have been disposed of Earlier. In my view fully meets a Years' Accumulation

28 Submitted for ir

Please note the remarks & proposed revised style. Rules have recently been approved by the Council in regard to powers of Check necessary & of making payments &c. The rules should be followed

10.7.16

29 The Existing order No 4.89-509 dated 11.7.16-1 by 14th July 1915 (Hay 8) is quite in accordance with the rules approved by the Jud Member. With regard to the Remaining Estimates in the Manual Branch the only ones presented to the Secretary Department are those relating to Court Fees no reason to modify the Existing practice

11.7.16

30 Revised draft submitted

31 Rev Secy 17/7/16

17/7/16 Jud Member for approval 18.7.16

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	33 Home Dept 22/7 16
8	34 Q. & No. 841-61 & 17 7 16 to Dy Comm of ~~Ab~~, P of ~~Kt~~ ~~Bs~~, P K & F, P. Blue & appte ~~Atg~~, ~~Sl~~ Ch, P Irrigation N B, Hon Dr, Kadur, & Chief Engs.
	states that govt are well-in favour of entrusting scrutiny of estimates up to Rs 1000/- to Karnatak Engrs and requests the Chief Engs to instruct the Dn Engrs to ensure the scrutiny of estimates in reasonable time or within the prescribed period where a time limit is fixed

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141 Office of the Deputy Commissioner

Mul 6015-3, Bangalore District

Dated Bangalore 28 8 1915

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K Chandy Esqr B A

President,

District Board

Bangalore District

V R Thyaga Raja Iyer Esqr M A

Secretary to the Government of Mysore,

Revenue Department,

Bangalore

Sir,

With reference to Government orders Nos 6730-41 / L B 1891410 and 489-509 / ml 60 151 dated the 27th February and the 19th July 1915 respectively directing that the estimates costing more than Rs 500/- should in the first instance be sent to the Executive Engineer for scrutiny, I have the honor to state that if the maramat Assistant Engineer attached to the district be authorized to scrutinize and pass such estimate at least in urgent cases up to 1/4 it will be of great facility to sanction estimates any loss of time

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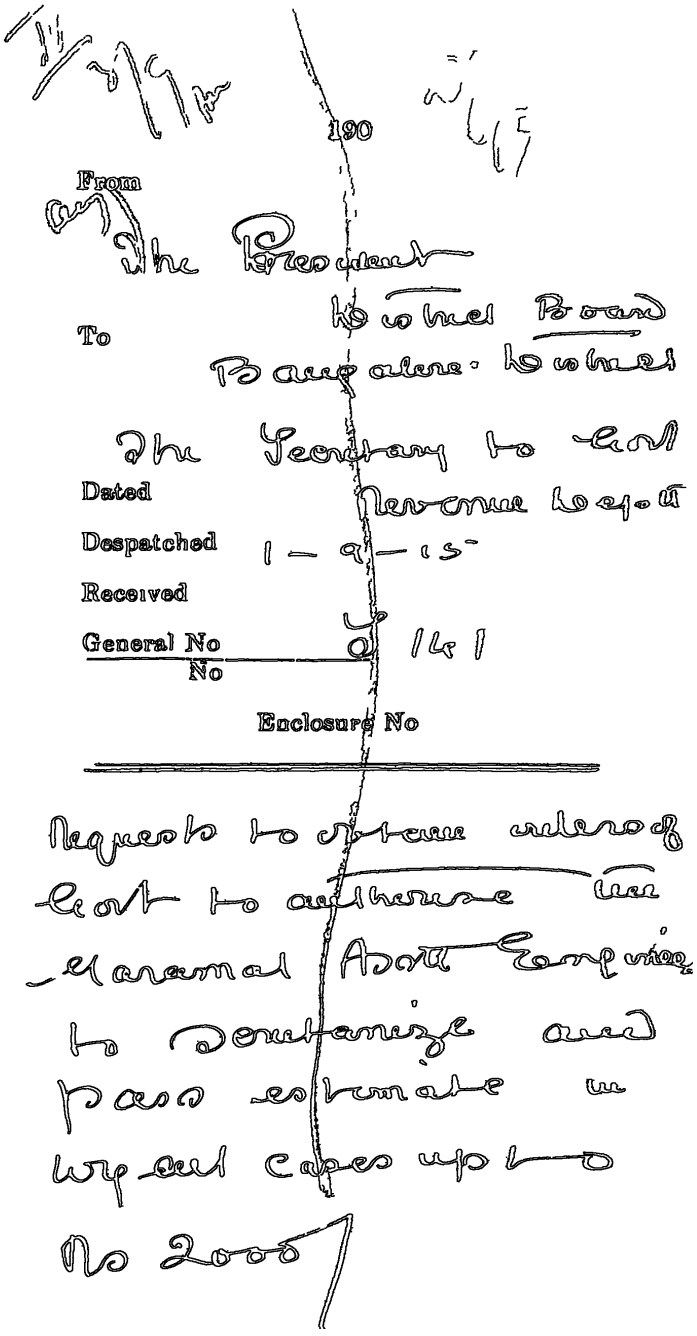

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From

To

Dated

Despatched 1-9-15

Received

General No 1411

No

Enclosure No

Request to obtain orders of Govt to authorise the Chairman Asst Engineer to Departmentize and pass estimate in Wyanad Cases upto Rs 2000/

I therefore request that the orders of Government may kindly be obtained in the matter

I have the honor to be
Sir,
your most Obedient Servant,

K Chandy

President,
Kasaba District Board,
Bangalore District

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SUBJECT Professional Scrutiny of Estimates

Diary No of letter replied to 976

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File No 60 13
Serial No 5

General and Revenue Secretariat

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No 3807
M 60-15= 5
9.26.11.15

Date of issue 26.11.15

Signed by Mr G Srinivasadeyer

To

The Presdt, D.t Bd, Bam

Lw,

With Reference to your letter No 141 dated 28th August 1915 requesting sanction for empowering the Maramat Assistant Engineer to scrutinise and pass estimates of D & Road works up to Rs 2000 at least in urgent cases, I a

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directed to enquire whether any delays have occurred by sending the estimate to the Executive Engineers and if so in how many cases such delays have taken place.

2. A list ~~showing the~~, of cases instances in which delays have occurred and the exact duration of delay in each case may be sent for the information of Govt

I have &c

Sd/-

For Resident

List of enclosures

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Office of the President
District Board, Bangalore

Dated Bangalore 16 5 [illegible]

From

M. Chandy Esqr B A,
President
District Board, Bangalore rural

To

V N Thyagaraja Iyer Esqr M. A,
Secretary to the Government
of Mysore Revenue Department
Bangalore

Sir,

With reference to your letter No. 3807 / M1 60 15-5- dated 26th November 1915, I have the honor to submit herewith a list showing the dates on which some of the estimates were sent to and returned back from the Executive Engineer

I have the honor to be,
Sir,
Your most obedient servant
Munuswamy Gadhyan
for President
District Board, Bangalore rural

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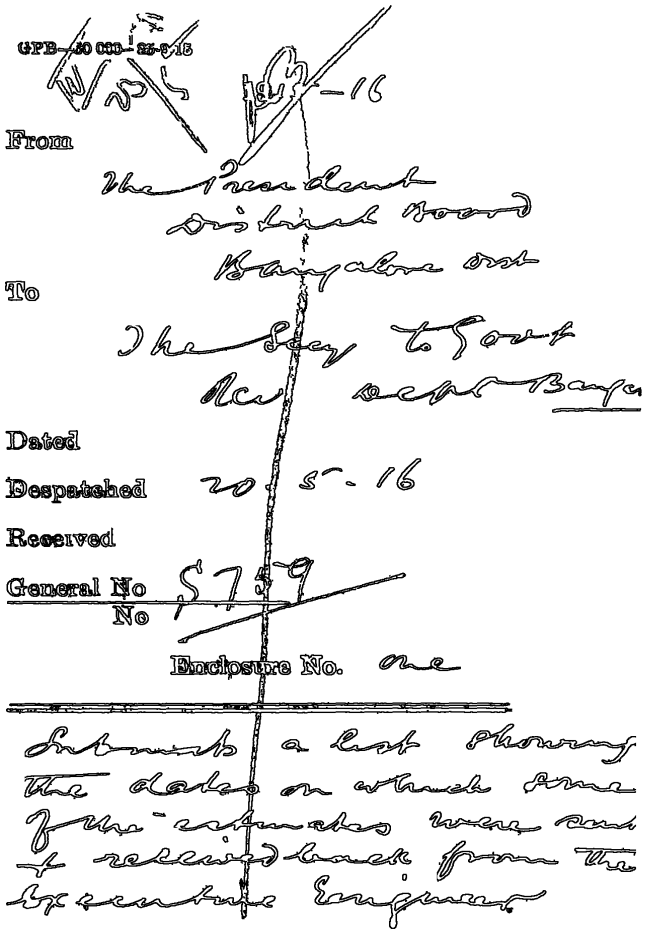

From The President District Board Bangalore East

To The Secy to Govt Revenue Department Bangalore

Dated

Despatched 20 Sep 16

Received

General No 7579

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Enclosure No. one

Submitted a list showing the dates on which the estimates were and received back from the Executive Engineer

List showing the dates on which some of the estimates were sent to, and received back from the Executive Engineer, Bangalore Division

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Date on which the estimate was sent to the Executive Engineer		Details of work	Date on which the estimate received back
25-9-1914	6	Revised estimate for sinking a well at Ramanahalli	6-4-1915
27-4-1915	1	Sinking a well at Ramagondahalli	12-6-1915
3-5-1915	10	do at Agrahara well	15-3-1916
21/27-8-1915	1	do at Doddabanahalli	8-10-1915
22-11-1915	4	do at Chokkanahalli	6-5-1916
16-2-1916	1	do at Vadavatti	31-3-1916
18-2-1916	1	do at Bommenuppa	31-3-1916
14-4-1915	1	Four estimates of the wages value	28-5-1915

Bangalore
dated 17-5-1916

for President
District Board
Bangalore District

VS

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Rul 6015-1

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Office of the President,
District Board, Tumkur District,
Dated, 3rd June 1916

From

K R. Srinivasiengar, Esq , M A., ~~L B 128-15-1~~
Deputy Commissioner-President,
District Board, Tumkur District.

To

V R Thyagaraja Iyer, Esq., M A.,
Secretary to the Government of His Highness the
Maharaja of Mysore, Revenue Department, Bangalore

Sir,

Adverting to Government Order No 459-509/Rul 60-15-1 dated the 19th July 1915 passing orders in the matter of professional Scrutiny of estimates for works undertaken from District and Municipal Funds and Local Funds General I have the honour to State that there has been considerable delay in the Executive Engineer's Office in returning the Estimates for works costing over Rs 500/-, referred to the Executive Engineer for Scrutiny A list

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From

The President,
District Fund Board,
Tumkur District.

To

The Secretary to Government,
Revenue Department, Bangalore.

Dated 3rd

Despatched 5th June 1916.

Received

General No. 589
No.

Enclosure No. One list

Submits proposals in the matter of provisional Scrutiny of Estimates for works undertaken from District Funds &c, for orders.

list of such estimates sent to him which have not yet been returned in spite of several reminders, is enclosed for perusal It will be seen therefrom that some of the estmates are pending with him for nearly a year Owing to this delay no satisfactory progress could be shown in the utilization of the grant

In order to avoid delay in the disposal of such estmates, I request that instead of their being sent to the Executive Engineer for check and scrutiny, permission may be accorded to have them checked by the Assistant Engineer in charge of the Marathwat work

&c.

in the District

I have the honor to be,

Sir,

Your most obedient humble

Servant

Deputy Commissioner - President,

District Board, Tumkur District.

List of estimates for well works sent to Executive Engineer for check and pending in his office

Sent to Mud 60-15-7.

Taluk	Description of work	Amount of estimate	Date on which sent to Executive Engineer
Pavagada	Improving Chama Iyengars well	700	Rs 234 of 21 Ex 15
"	Sinking a well behind fort well in Pavagada	850	
Tumkur	Sinking a well at Shunnahalli	623	118 of 5 11 15
Gubbi	Sinking a well at Kadaba	790	126 of 17 11 15
Tiptur	Sinking a well at Vadavanghatta	520	163 of 23 12 15
Do.	Sinking a well at Honbyre	543	20 of 15 1/16
Tumkur	Sinking a well at Kotaganahalli	740	205 of 20 1/16
Do	Sinking a well at Dibbur	607	211 of 30 1/16
Kunigal	Sinking a well at Bhotnahalli	982	242 of 7 3/16
Sira	Sinking a well at Doddagrahara	697	245 of 8 3/16
Madalagiri	Sinking a well at Pulimachi		

Executive Engineer
President District Taluk Board

Scrutiny of estimates for works.

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Proceedings of the Government of H. H. the Maharaja of Mysore.

Read--

Government Order No.489-509/Ml. 60-15-1 dated the 19th July 1915 regulating the professional scrutiny by officers of the P. W. D. of estimates for works to be executed by the Revenue Department out of the District and Municipal Funds and the Local Fund General and costing over Rs.500.

2. Letter No 141 dated the 28th August 1915 from the Deputy Commissioner and President of the District Board, Bangalore District, suggesting that in order to minimise delays in the scrutiny of estimates by P. W. D. Public Works Officers, the District Maramat Assistant Engineer be authorised to scrutinise and pass estimates at least in urgent cases up to Rs.2,000/-

3. Letter No.589 dated 3rd June 1916 from the President, District Board and Deputy Commissioner, Tumkur District reporting that there has been considerable delay in the Executive Engineer's office in scrutinising the estimates and requesting that in order to avoid delay in the disposal of estimates the Maramat Assistant Engineer may be authorised to scrutinise the estimates that are now sent to the Executive Engineer.

Order No. R 41-6/mn160-15-8
Dated, 27 7 16.

Government are not in favour of ~~xxxxxxxx~~ entrusting scrutiny of estimates up to Rs.1,000/- to Maramat Assistant Engineers.

2. The Chief Engineer is requested to issue needful instructions to the Executive Engineers to ensure the scrutiny of estimates in reasonable time or within the prescribed period where a time limit is fixed.

Offg Secretary to Govt.
Rev. Department

To

The Deputy Commissioners of Districts.
The Presidents of District Boards.
The President, Kolar Gold Fields Sanitary Board.
The Presidents, Bangalore and Mysore City Municipal Councils.
The President, Sringeri Municipal Board, through the Deputy Commissioner, Kadur District.
The Chief Engineer of Mysore.

MRN.